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- 2) This statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the above identified patent application.
- 3) References AA and AB are in English. Therefore no further discussion of the references is required.
- 4) Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider all references of record, return an initialled copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and ensure that all references of record are printed on any patent issuing from this application.

5) Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 1 to 35 are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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